

Just Arrived a Beautiful Line of

XMAS

CARDS AND BOOKLETS



Lomita Drug Store

CITY CASH MARKET

SPERRY FLOUR

50 Pounds	-----	\$3.40
25 Pounds	-----	\$1.75
10 Pounds	-----	75c
5 Pounds	-----	40c
2 pkgs Corn Meal	-----	35c
Leg Pork	-----	30c
Shoulder Pork	-----	26c
Eastern Ham	-----	42c
Bacon, whole	45c to	55c
Nell Coffee is	-----	45c
Round Steak, lb.	-----	30c
Sirloin Steak, lb.	-----	30c
Chuck Steak	-----	22c

FRANK NELL, Prop.
21801 Cabrillo Ave.
Torrance Calif.

Meet me at the Rio Tan for an evening dinner—Adv.

HARBOR CITY NEWS ITEMS

(By A. M. HAWKINS.)

Two large loads of machinery were unloaded at the smelter this week.

Mr. Shepard is redecorating the interior of the large house owned by G. B. Hawkins.

Mrs. Boyd, Sr., and Mrs. E. Boyd Jr., and children were visitors at Ivy Crest Ranch, Sunday.

Repairs are fast progressing at the Smelter, and Manager Rich expects to have the machinery in running order within a few days.

Ernest Cutting and Miss Catherine Cutting were Long Beach visitors, Sunday. They say there was a large crowd there, on the tiki pike.

Mr. and Mrs. Myers drove across the continent in a Hup and report a fine trip, and encountered only one rainstorm. The only machine trouble was a broken spring on a mountain road in Colorado.

The benefit dance by the members of the volunteer fire department was largely attended and thoroughly enjoyed by a genial crowd. Music was furnished by Green's orchestra.

H. P. Little, our genial contractor and builder thinks his new "Lizzie" with self-beginner a lot easier to get started these cool mornings. Mr. Little is not a man that uses cuss words—but a self-starter saves him a lot of hard thinking while twisting the old-style car.

Fords may come and Fords may go but from all reports the Fords will go one for some time to come. The home factory of the Ford Motor company in Detroit, built in one day 5673 motors, 4061 of these going into completed cars. The mystery is, where do they all go to, but if all towns have as many as Harbor City, Lomita and Torrance, it's not so hard to solve.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Williams, Mr. and Mrs. S. Miers and Mrs. Ruth Curry of Long Beach were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Layland of Ivycrest Ranch, Weston street, Harbor City. Mr. Williams came to California for the betterment of his health and the short time he has been here he says good old sunny California is his future home. He regrets he did not come years ago.

Mr. Kirk and family, guests at the Harbor City Hotel, will soon occupy the large and commodious residence of G. B. Hawkins.

Considerable lettuce is being hauled over Weston street although the price is very low. 45c per crate is the average price paid. Many of the packers and shippers have had to unpack and re-ice several car loads of lettuce as the prices on eastern markets was not enough to pay the freight.

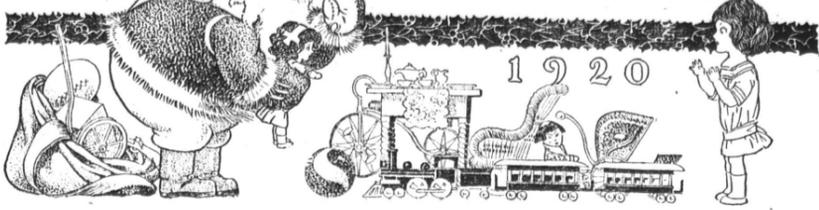
The tourist and sight-seeing public are very conspicuous on our fine boulevards Sundays. Actual count was made of the automobiles passing the corner of Weston street and Belle Porte Ave., from 3:15 to 4:45 with the following result: 190 going East and 90 going West within the hour. Fifteen per cent of them were tourists with foreign licenses.

GYPSIES — DELUXE

The Gypsies of today do not travel with horses and wagons as they did in the "good old days," but now you see them in the "horseless" carriage. Harbor City was visited Monday morning by a band of traveling fortune tellers, and with their trickiness and cunning stole \$40 from Mrs. Hattie Rosencrantz, who conducts the grocery store at Weston street. She had changed \$10 for a friend and stepped to the rear to deposit the bill in a box, and the Gypsy woman followed her to the room. She ordered her out and returned to the store. While two other Gypsies were making a small purchase one of them slipped to the rear room and took \$40 from the box. In the meantime Archie Hawkins telephoned to Officer Carpenter who quickly put the woman under arrest at Belle Porte Ave and brought her back to the store. The officer asked Mrs. Rosencrantz if she had missed anything and when she replied she hadn't, the Gypsies were ordered to move on. Shortly afterwards Mrs. Rosencrantz discovered her loss of \$40. The police of San Pedro were notified but the light fingered ones seemed to have vanquished. The tribe was traveling in a Dodge car that was badly bespattered with mud and dirt.

For a velvet shave—Rio Tan Barbers—Adv.

The TOY STORE



Santa Claus Headquarters

Do not fail to bring the kiddies to see Santa Claus, Here on Saturdays from 9:00 a. m. to 11:00 a. m. and from 2:00 p. m. to 4:00 p. m.

SANTA CLAUS DRAWING CONTEST

Have them bring in their drawings of Santa Claus—Three Grand Prizes.

We Have Presents for Everybody

- Toys for the Kiddies
- Doll Buggies
- Glassware
- Smoking Sets
- Razors
- Pocket Knives
- Aluminumware
- Dolls
- Velocepedes
- Coaster Wagons
- Red Wagons
- Trains
- Fancy China

We Will Deliver to Lomita or Torrance on Tuesday Morning Before Christmas.

Pay a deposit on any item in our store and we will hold them and deliver any Tuesday Morning Before Xmas

The Magnet Store

BRANNEN BROS.

232 West Sixth St.

Phone 383

San Pedro

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THE GREATEST VALUE GIVING EVENT EVER HELD IN THIS VICINITY IS PROVING A GREAT SUCCESS, AS EVIDENCED BY THE CROWDED STORE—EACH DAY NEW AND GREATER VALUES ARE BEING OFFERED

Each Day Finds Some New Merchandise on Display

And At Prices You Have Been Wishing For, For the Past Five Years—Do Your Christmas Shopping at RENN AND BARNES, Lomita; You Will Find That You Have a Great Deal More Change Coming to You After Making Your Christmas Purchases Here, Than You Would If You Made Them Somewhere else.

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WE ARE GIVING OUR CUSTOMERS AFTER CHRISTMAS PRICES—NOW—WHEN YOU WANT LOWER PRICES.

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MADE TO YOUR MEASURE AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. SUITS THAT WERE \$80.00, NOW ----- \$64.00
Suits Made To Your Measure, at from ----- \$26.00 to \$64.00

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